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Amendments to the Specification

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Amend the paragraph on page 23, lines 12-18:

By way of example, if a target portion is red, the preliminary combination should not include green, since that combination would result in shading (adjusting) with two ~~complementary~~ complementary colorants. However, red and green together can be used to desaturate and darken the color. The same result can be obtained by using black, which is generally a less expensive colorant. Hence, the normal practice is to avoid shading with ~~complementary~~ complementary colorants.

Amend the section on page 31, lines 1-8:

was included in attempting to match the yellow-shade red example shown above, the only way it could be matched would be to use a negative amount of blue (~~complement~~ complement of yellow), which would be physically impossible and thus the color matching criteria can be configured to automatically eliminate such combinations. The theoretical concentrations of colorants in the preliminary colorant combinations in Formulas 1, 2 and 3 as determined though the color matching criteria expressed in Equations 12 and 13 are shown in Table 6 below: